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Shinji TANAKA  
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Group Art Unit: 2115

Confirmation No.: 2005

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For: MEDIUM CONTAINING PRINTER MAINTENANCE GUIDE PROGRAM FOR AUTOMATIC  
DISPLAY ON A COMPUTER IN RESPONSE TO DETECTING A CHANGE IN THE PRINTER  
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Applicant previously filed an Information Disclosure Statement on August 25, 2005 referencing the incorrect publication date of the cited Japanese reference. Therefore, Applicant respectfully submits the attached substitute PTO/SB/08A & B (modified) form along with the correct publication date for the listed reference which the Examiner may deem material to patentability of the claims of the above-identified application. A copy of the listed reference was previously submitted on August 25, 2005.

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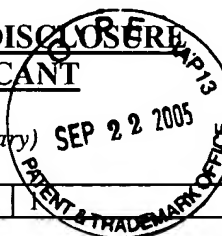
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